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 Printing system for network connected personal computer, selects combination of printer and printer driver software based on variety of input printing objective data file

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AB - JP2001256023 NOVELTY - Multiple printer driving software programs are installed in a data processor. Variety of an input printing objective data file is determined, and based on the determined result, combination of printer driver software and printer is selected for high speed printing.

- DETAILED DESCRIPTION An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for printer driver software and printing device combination selection method.
- USE For personal computer connected to network.
- ADVANTAGE High speed printing and automatic selection printer driver are enabled.
- DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) The figure shows the flowchart explaining printer driver software selection method. (Drawing includes non-English language text).
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- PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a print system to enable automatic selection of combination of a printer with a printer driver AB to execute print output at high speed.

- SOLUTION: In the print system with a PC on which plural printer drivers to control the printer are installed and plural printers capable of creating print data from a data file transmitted from the PC and executing print, a kind of the data file as a print object is discriminated and the combination of the printer with the printer driver to enable execution of higher speed print is selected according to a discrimination result of the type of the data file.
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